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AND METHOD FOR ITS PRODUCTION

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, Applicant hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the documents which are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and/or listed herein and which the Examiner may deem relevant to patentability of the claims of the above-identified application.

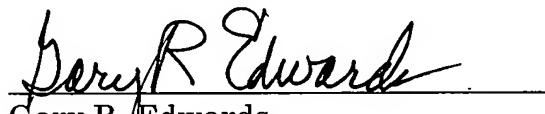
The relevance of these references to the subject matter of the present invention is given in the specification of the present invention.

An English abstract of German Patent No. DE 37 02 138 A 1 is submitted herewith. A U.S. counterpart of German Patent No. DE 27 27 200 A 1 is submitted herewith.

In compliance with the concise explanation requirement under 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3) for foreign language documents, Applicant encloses herewith a copy of a corresponding foreign Search Report citing such documents, together with an English-language version (if not already included) of that portion of the Search Report indicating the degree of relevance found by the foreign office.

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